

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Examiner: NYA PHILIPPE LE BARS ET AL. Group Art Unit: NYA Application No.: NYA **RECEIVED** Filed: Herewith AUG 1 8 2004 METHOD AND DEVICE For: FOR MANAGING THE Technology Center 2600 RESOURCES OF A COMPUTER COMMUNICATION MEANS FOR PROCESSING A March 13, 2001 COMPUTER DOCUMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the aboveidentified application, filed herewith, as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, before the sentence beginning with the words "The present invention relates", appearing on line 10 of that page, insert the following title on a separate line: